REMARKS

Reconsideration is requested.

The Examiner's allowance of Claims 1-11, 14-16 and 21-31, and indication that Claim 18 contains allowable subject matter is acknowledged. The Examiner indicated that replacement of the phrase "vehicle component" with "horn" in claim 17 raises a new issue because Claim 17 does not restrict the claimed "horn" to a horn that is a vehicle component. Claims 17-20 have been cancelled.

In view of the foregoing, this application is believed to be in condition for immediate allowance, and action to that end is respectfully requested

Should the next Action be anything other than a Notice of Allowance, the undersigned requests a telephone consultation.

Respectfully submitted,

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